



Town Council Regular Meeting Monday Sept. 25

Council Protests Gas Tax On Natural Gas

The regular bi-monthly Council meeting was held in the Town Hall on Monday evening Sept. 25th with the Mayor and all Councillors present.

The School Board's request for \$1500 for current expenses was ordered paid.

The cash statement for August as submitted by the Secretary was accepted.

A delegation from Quarry Lodge waited upon Council to lease building for the coming 12 months. Satisfactory arrangements were made.

Several accounts as passed by the finance committee were ordered paid.

The returning officer's report on the recent vote taken on the Electricity by-law was received.

A letter from the Union of Alberta Municipalities relative to the imposition of a provincial sales tax to be used for educational purposes was read.

The Council went on record as opposed to this proposed taxation.

Council forwarded a letter of protest to the Minister of National Revenue, Ottawa, regarding the sales tax on consumption of natural gas for domestic purposes.

WRY?

It has always been a well known fact, that in times of war or peace, the best way for any community to attain its objective is by pulling together for the common cause, with all its resources pooled as one.

The Review has always been of this opinion and for 25 years has given its whole hearted support to any and every worthy cause, with such resources as it had at its disposal and by giving it such causes unstinted publicity through its columns, free of any charge.

Among those causes which the Review has supported so generously for so many years in good times and bad is the Red Cross Society.

Is it not only reasonable to expect that when it is possible, these generous gestures on our part should be returned in kind? Courtesy for courtesy is an accepted rule of modern society. Judge of our surprise then, when we find the newly organized local Red Cross Society circularizing the town with type written information, which we would have gladly printed in the Review—again free of charge, and tickets for a needle work raffle, which we did not print, and which, if we had, would have cost no more than they did cost.

Here was an opportunity to return the courtesy of many years' standing, which was passed by.

If this discount was due to any personal animosity on the part of any member of the Finance Committee, we have only this to say, that the Red Cross Society, which stands always for kindness and helpfulness, the world over, is a very unsuitable

School Field Sports Carried Out Friday

Weather Man Proves Unkind Fair Crowd Turned Out

The Local Annual School Field Day which was to have taken place last Wednesday, was postponed until last Friday, when the different sporting events were carried out on the School Playgrounds.

The weather was not what it should have been for the occasion the spectators finding it quite chilly, which detracted somewhat from the enthusiasm.

One feature which was much enjoyed was the refreshment tent where hot dogs and pop were available.

The following is a list of the events and the winners—

Robert Pedersen with a total of 17 points, the greatest number obtained for the day, won the Broadfoot medal. He also won the award for the Best Intermediate School Athlete. Robert made the mile in 5 min. 16 sec.

Muriel Hitchen, 16 1/2 points. Wilma Marty with 16 points won the award for the Best Elementary School Athlete.

Annie Baier and Nick Baier tied with 13 points each. Evelyn Fulton with 12 points won the award for the Best High School Athlete.

George Skidmore was among the winners with 12 points.

Do You Remember?

Events of Twentyfive Years Ago
From the Review Files Oct. 1914

The battle of the Aisne is still raging with great loss of life.

The Redcliff Shoe Factory has orders for \$40,000 worth of shoes. The staff will be increased and will turn out 300 pairs a day.

The first church to be built in Redcliff, St. Ambrose, is nearing completion. The church will be opened on Dec. 3rd, by the Bishop. Mr. Hubbard of the Rolling Mills donated a fine flag staff, and Mr. Corson of the Ornamental Iron Works donated a set of heavy ornamental iron hinges and handles of old design for the main doors. A handsome set of furniture for the sanctuary and choir is being made by Mr. W. Cox.

medium through which to vent one's spleen.

SOVIET FOSTERING BALKAN BLOOD



Important negotiations are under way at Moscow where representatives of several of the Balkan States are conferring with Soviet officials. The map shows the Balkan area and its relation to both Russia and Western Europe.

Wedding Bells

JOHNSON—McFADEN

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Thursday, Sept. 28th, at First United Church, Vancouver, when Janet, youngest daughter of Mrs. A. McFaden and the late A. McFaden of Redcliff, became the bride of Clinton Johnson of Vancouver.

The bride was attended by her sister Isabel, and the groom by Alex Dalsiel, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Andrew Rodon.

The bride looked charming in an afternoon dress of white chiffon with matching accessories. The bridesmaid wore mauve with matching accessories.

After the ceremony, the wedding party went to the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. McKay where a dainty supper was served. The young couple will reside in Vancouver.

Recruits Wanted

The Armouries at Redcliff will be open on Monday and Wednesday nights for the purpose of enlisting recruits into "C" Coy. of the 1st S. A. R. Militia.

Here is an opportunity for all men between the ages of 18 and 45 to brush up if they have had previous military training, and to train in military duties if previous training is lacking.

Men enlisting in this unit are not required to serve overseas unless further contingents are to be sent. In this case re-enlistment will be necessary and of course will be on a voluntary basis. Recruits into the militia at this time could be called upon for home defence in an emergency.

Once the unit is recruited up to strength, courses will be held for N. C. O.'s which will be conducted in such a manner as to ad-

Scout Activities Here and Elsewhere

Local Scouts Busy At New Scout Quarters

The Local Scouts are busy these days fitting up the upper floor of the Broadway Department Store, to be used as their meeting place during the winter months.

Former world's heavyweight

boxing champion, Gene Tunney, has been elected to the Executive Board of the Boy Scout Foundation of Greater New York.

A summer visitor to Canada was Juke Waterman, a Dutch Boy Scout from near Amsterdam who came across to meet Saaka toon "pen pals" with whom he had been corresponding for some years.

A new kind of good turn came the way of Scouts on duty this year at the Ottawa fall fair—the fixing of ladies' high heels loosened while tramping about the grounds.

One hundred Calgary Boy Scouts, brought in a body, acted as saddles at Banff's summer golf tournament.

The resourceful Boy Scouts of Wadena, Sask., this summer "hoed their way" to camp. By arrangement with a local farmer the troop lined up with hoes and went through his big corn field. It was a two days' job for 16 boys, and they received \$25, plus six big dinners served under the trees by the farmer's good wife.

Mr. Bassett, General Manager for the Dominion Glass Co. is a business visitor in town today.

Mrs. Geo. Pussey, her daughter Mrs. F. Shaw and the lady's son of Remerton, Wash. arrived in town yesterday to visit with relatives for a time.

quaint everyone with the latest military practice and tactics.

It is felt that there are many men in Redcliff who will welcome this opportunity of preparing to do their bit for the Empire providing they are called upon to do so. Here is the opportunity to at least start in that direction and every effort will be made to see that each recruit is properly trained and given an opportunity to qualify according to his ability.

J. R. Mackenzie,
Acting Captain

"C" Coy. 1st S. A. R. Redcliff

Car Licenses Cost Less Oct. 1

First reduction of passenger or pleasure car licenses this year will take effect Oct. 1st, according to information which officials of the Alberta Motor Association have received from the provincial secretary's department.

To those taking out motor licenses on or after Oct. 1, there will be a 40 percent reduction on the annual license fee. The license will expire next Mar. 31. Licenses for motor trucks were reduced by 40 percent on Sept. 1 and held good until the end of next March.

Next Jan. 1, there will be a 75 percent reduction in passenger car and motor truck licenses, so that cars may be operated in the first three months of 1940 at one-quarter of the annual license fee.

Government officials also have announced that up to the end of September, there will be a 30 percent rebate on the passenger car license fee if plates are turned in by that time, or 20 percent on plates returned to the department by Jan. 10 next. A rebate of 20 percent on truck licenses is allowed up to Jan. 10.

Local Men Who Have Joined The Colors

Help of Citizens Solicited to Keep This List Up To Date

In this column of the Review we propose to print from week to week, the names of all those local men—men or women—who enlist in the different branches of war service.

The following is the list to date. If it is incomplete we should be very pleased to receive any names which have been John Balmer, Arthur Harris, Ted Harris, Oswald Swen. Gen. Kitchin, Jack McFaden, Tom Kwasiak, Gordon Newnam, Bruce Collard, Eli Shaw, John Rose, Norris Lawson, Ted Lawson, Ted Mackell, Tom Jones, J. Houghton, Jim Dutton, Ted Fairhurst, W. A. Grove, Jim Jackson, Jack Learmonth, John Maden, Orland Marty, M. Wasilewski, Harold Lemming, Jack Murray, Tom Migness, Arnold Hurlbert, Jim Locay, Johnnie Davies.

Those having a star after their name were not successful in the Medical Examination but should be noted as having offered their services to their country.

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WOMEN HELPING BRITAIN WIN THE WAR



This picture was taken at East Sussex Agricultural College, Plumpton, near Lewes, where members of the Women's Land Army receive training before going to various farms. In this particular picture the girls are hoeing a root crop in a very beautiful setting.

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A War Problem

Whatever part Canada may be destined to play in the war now raging between Germany on the one hand and Great Britain, Canada, France and Poland, on the other, the fact that Western Canadian agriculture will be charged with the highly important duty of assisting in the task of supplying food commodities to the allied belligerent nations and their armies is quite clear.

What is not clear, however, is the extent to which and for how long Western Canada will be called upon or will be able to render this duty as part of its contribution towards the winning of the war. That is dependent upon many factors, such as the length of the war, the bountifulness, or otherwise, of the crop yields while the war is in progress; the extent to which the sea lanes can be kept open for the conveyance of foodstuffs and the arrangements which the allies can make, or may be forced to make by the exigencies of warfare, to ensure an uninterrupted flow of food supplies to their nationals and their fighting forces.

It would be a bold prophet who would venture to predict specific answers to some of the questions involved in these at present unknown factors. The war, for instance, may be a lengthy conflict, as protracted or more so than the "impetuous response" of 1914-18. On the other hand it may be of very short duration. There are those who are making predictions of the length of the war, ranging all the way from twenty weeks to twenty years. The most that can be said for them is that they are only guesses, and one man's guess is as good as another's.

The Immediate Requirement

This being the case, it is impossible for the individual farmer, or even for those in charge of the nation's affairs, to devise a long range program of production and distribution of agricultural products for the entire duration of the war. All that can be done at the present time, is to ensure the distribution of the crop that has been raised in such manner as to ensure its delivery at such times and such places as to furnish maximum assistance in the prosecution of the war and to lay plans for production next year on an adequate scale with a definite objective in view. The former is now the problem of the government, and the Canada Wheat Board with the assistance and co-operation of the wheat pool, and others marketing agencies.

The latter, the question of preparation for, and production of next year's crop, is one which will involve the co-operation of the individual farmer with the government of the country and the various distributing and marketing agencies. To what extent the quantity and type of production will be left to the discretion of the individual farmer and to what extent, if any, the exigencies of the national welfare, will warrant or necessitate directional measures over production effort on the part of the government has not, at the moment, been announced.

Whether or not any measure of government control over production is assumed, it can be taken for granted that, as long as a superior effort may be required in the prosecution of the war with the utmost vigor, the farmers of the west will give loyal and effective support and a full quota of co-operation, even though it entail some sacrifice and the abandonment of much cherished plans for the time being.

Mistakes To Avoid

Whether, however, the farmer retains full measure of liberty in ordering his production program for the next and subsequent years, or not, it is to be hoped that plans laid down will take some cognizance of mistakes unwittingly made during the last war and efforts be made to avoid them, or, if that is impossible, to minimize their effect.

During the last war, it will be remembered, a great deal of sub-marginal and marginal land was brought under the plow and needed to wheat in a strenuous effort to meet the requirements of the allied nations for more and more food. As a result of this fine effort food that was urgently required was forthcoming as and when needed, and unquestionably the manner in which farmers responded to the call for an adequate supply of foodstuffs played an important part in the ultimate victory.

Unfortunately, however, after the war, when prices of foodstuffs dropped to peace time level, and below, farmers found they had on their hands broken land which was no longer profitable to till and seed and, as a result, much of this land became harborage for noxious weeds and breeding grounds for insect pests which infested good lands and polluted good crops, and eventually became a problem of serious magnitude.

If it is again found necessary, in order to ensure the prosecution of the war with maximum efficiency, to again use some of these ordinarily unprofitable areas to raise bread foods, this subsequent problem should not be overlooked when plans are being made.

Consideration might well be given to the alternative possibility of increasing yields on the more profitable land by more widespread use of pure, vigorous and healthy seed and the adoption of more scientific methods of cultivation, wherever this may be practicable.

And if that is not deemed sufficient, and some marginal and sub-marginal lands must be used in order that war requirements may be fully met, then some consideration should be given as to the use to which they may be put subsequently and immediate plans for their use so modified and ordered that this later contingency may be met without undue loss.

In the meantime, however, the prosecution of the war with the utmost vigor is the first claim on all citizens of Western Canada and this must be the prime and immediate objective, regardless of the sacrifice entailed.

Seeds For Export

Canada Has Entered into Many Provisions And Export of Many Grains And Clover Seeds

Canada has come quite definitely into both production and export of many grains and clover seeds and a recent issue of statistics from the plants production division makes interesting reading, as a number of varieties, formerly on the import list, are now transferred to the export side. Even a number of varieties, which are still imported, the amounts are greatly lessened. Alaska clover, for example, the production for 1938 was 7,000,000 pounds, no imports for the spring of 1939, but an export of 4,323,700 pounds from June 1st, 1938, to June 30th, 1939. In 1938 Canada produced 4,053,000 pounds of alfalfa seed and exported 3,267,000 pounds, and imported 400 pounds.

Sweet clover seed production in 1938 was 11,850,000 pounds. Had no importation and exported 10,528,000 pounds. Transit duty made a rather poor showing as, while production ran to 4,316,000, imports ran to 4,008,044. Canada's wheat grain production, an excellent showing, production running to 1,685,000 pounds with an import of only 2,500 pounds, but an export of 410,079. In 1938, production and export nearly balanced. Production was 2,350,500 pounds and exports 2,274,000 pounds. Unfortunately, this report does not give any idea of the price at which these seeds sold. It is known, however, that the price of alfalfa seed for 1938 was around 16¢ per pound and sweet clover seed to 4¢; and while this price for sweet clover is too low for much profit, 16¢ for alfalfa certainly pays.

Have Sense Of Direction

Common Tons Return Year After Year To Same Fend

According to the London Listener G. H. Boulenger, Curator of Reptiles at the London Zoo, has written a book which talks to tell about the common toad. "While the common frog," he said, "is the egg mass in the first water that is available (sometimes it even chances the water that collects in puddles), the methodical toad establishes a quite amazing conservatism. It returns year after year, to the same pond in order that its progeny may find domestic duties even if there are apparently equally desirable ponds between its egg mass and the water. The toad's conservatism is a commendable and commendable which, he over half-a-mile."

These annual cavalcades and toads made in the dark and the toads show a truly amazing sense of direction. I have shown that by experiment. Some years ago I filled a large bag with toads from a particular pond and I turned them loose half a mile away. Without exception one and all of them (after a few tentative hops) sallied forth towards the pond they had been taken from. I may say that for the purpose of the test I saw to it that there were other ponds near by, places where I turned them loose.

SELECTED RECIPES

LEMON SODA

1 1/2 cups boiling water
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup shaved lemon rind
1/2 cup lemon juice
1/2 cup corn starch
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup lemon juice

Whites of two eggs
Make a syrup of water, sugar and lemon rind. Boil five minutes. Remove rind. Mix corn starch with cold water; pour gradually into syrup, stirring until thick. Cook for 10 minutes. Remove from heat, add stiffly beaten egg whites. Blend with lemon juice. Boil until molasses color. Serve with Lemon Custard Sauce. Six servings.

Graham Nut Muffins

1 cup sifted flour
1/2 cup graham flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 cup sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup oil
1/2 cup milk
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Sift flour once, measure, add graham flour, baking powder, sugar, and salt, and sift again. Add walnuts and mix. Combine egg, milk, and shortening; add to flour mixture, beating only enough to dampen all flour. Bake in greased muffin pans in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 20 minutes, or until done. Makes 12 small muffins.

Canadian Poultry Industry

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British Composer

Arthur Benjamin, Of Royal College Of Music, Takes To Residence In Vancouver

Arthur Benjamin, British composer-pianist, adjudicator at Canadian Musical Festivals in 1935, 1937, and 1939, is taking up residence in Vancouver.

Mr. Benjamin has been on the staff of the Royal College of Music, London, for 14 years, and his compositions are included in the repertoire of leading orchestras in Europe and America.

His opera "The Devil Take Her" has been produced in London and in Sydney, Australia.

Joins French Army

Baron Robert Rothschild Is Member Of Famous Family

Baron Robert de Rothschild, a member of the famous European banking family, has joined the French Army. One of France's wealthiest men, he not only directs the Paris branch of the Rothschild enterprise, but is the administrative of two of France's greatest railways, a director of several large corporations, an art collector, philanthropist, sociologist and horse fancier.

Men have to be either very bitter enemies or very close friends to call each other names.

Cars In Bermuda

Colony's Famous Rule About Motor Traffic Is Rescinded

Two of Bermuda's most widely known prohibitions—one on motor cars, the other on woman suffrage—went toppling in the wake of the war.

The assembly passed a bill breaking the colony's famous rule against motor traffic because of war conditions. The governor may now operate motor vehicles of all sorts on Bermuda roads for the duration of the war.

It was disclosed also that under the Emergency Powers Act recently passed, the governor, now Major General Denis Kirwan Bernard, has the power to grant woman suffrage, for which the women of Bermuda have fought fruitfully but steadily for many years.

Natives Of New Guinea

Screeners Appear To Be Still A Real Power In The Land

Sir Hubert Murray, governor of Papua, believes that despite 30 years of government and missionary work among the natives of New Guinea, "hunting sorcerers still are the real power in the land."

In his annual report the governor asks "whether the complete that the fear of sorcery prevents natives from assisting them in the arrest of murderers. The report also said "devil trees" hindered a survey of a proposed airbase because the natives refused to work until they were convinced by a spectacular fireworks display that the devils had been driven away.

Unusual Friends

Parrot Did Not Long Survive Death Of Persian Cat

Although parrots and cats are natural deadly enemies, the case of Polly and Blackie was an exception. Both pets of Perry Bauer of New Haven, Conn., they became friends at first sight four years ago and were inseparable companions.

When Blackie, a Persian, took ill and died, Polly grieved for two days of refusal to eat and finally passed away of a broken heart.

Perry said the parrot was at least 108 years old and was brought to America in 1830 after being found aboard a pirate craft in the China Sea.

Had One Complaint

It is the custom to ask travellers by the long-distance route to make suggestions for improvements. One passenger, on lightning at Croydon after a trip from India, was asked for his. He pondered a long time and then said:

"I think the glass of beer I had at Bagdad might have been a bit cooler."

The population of Greater Toronto, Ontario, has been estimated at 808,235. The city proper has 12 suburban municipalities.

The man who invented the modern plow, Jethro Wood, whittled his first models out of potatoes.

The Kingdom of Siam has officially changed its name to Thailand.

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An Important Study

Children Should Have Musical Education States Dean Of McGill

"In children life the only hope for the musical future of this Dominion," says Douglas Clarke, dean of the McGill University Faculty of Music.

"Musical education in music. They must be told about music, how to listen to it and to who made it, says Mr. Clarke, who thinks that music may well be incorporated in the regular school curriculum, beginning with the study of music can do so much to train the mind as Latin, Euclid and algebra, and that it leaves something of real practical value with the student in after life.

Mr. Clarke believes that in addition to lessons and practice, children should be given an opportunity of hearing constructive talks on music appreciation. For school work, he suggests that the gramophone would be invaluable in this regard as the child could follow the evolution of music through a series of records in addition to learning to recognize the sounds of the various orchestral instruments."

Mr. Clarke makes a very earnest plea that children should have music. "Let them know the one art, above all others has the power to justify the unsuspected beauties of life," he urges.

Some of the materials used in construction of a piano are: brass, copper, felt, gum, iron, ivory, lead, wood, rubber, and woven cloths.

An iron mountain in Sweden contains the largest quantity of high grade iron ore in the world, having about 70 per cent. pure iron.

There are places in the Sierra Madre mountains, Mexico, where a thermometer registers 180 degrees F. at noon and 23 degrees at night.

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Democratic Nations Battling For A Just Cause And In Defense Of Their Liberties

It is a moment to pay tribute to the leadership which the French Government have had during all these harrowing weeks and months before the final choice was made.

It is particularly the moment to pay tribute to the personal leadership of Mr. Chamberlain. No democratic statesman in our time has been made by circumstance the subject of more widespread criticism, the target for more cruel humor. He has been chided for his hesitation, found guilty of a lack of courage. But his hesitation is seen now to have been the deeply determined patience of a man who measured accurately the full, terrible cost of a great war, and his courage has been equal to the cruel test of the occasion.

Summoned by fate to make a choice which was deeply unwelcome to him, precisely at the moment when he was robbed by destiny of the alliance on which he had counted, he has risen magnificently to the responsibility of a great decision.

Certainly, the British people—and the French people—have not been able to have derived strength and inspiration from the quality of this leadership they have had.

In this dark hour they are fortified by the knowledge that every possible means of preserving peace has been explored before they were called upon to make the sacrifice of war. They have the satisfaction of knowing that their cause was called upon to make the sacrifice of war, and that wherever men have read the record of these fateful actions it is known that they fight only in self-defense for the sake of principle.

They have had valuable time in which to scrutinize thoroughly the thought that war, a long war, fought on a great scale, might be inevitable, and to make adjustments and decisions necessary to the acceptance of this grim circumstance in a spirit of national unity.

In this respect their position is fundamentally different from that of the German people. For the German people have been schooled in the belief that a real war, and especially a world war, is undertaken because he little doubt that the German Government itself has been convinced, and certainly there is ample evidence to show that it has taught conviction to its people, that it began light-heartedly with the seizure of Austria, and which it pursued successfully in the case of Czechoslovakia and Poland, and which it is now involving at no point a real risk that the German people might once more be taken into the dark valley of disaster and made to suffer if they suffered in the years from 1914 to 1918, and after.

It has been the German thesis in the case of Poland, and, then, in the case of Czechoslovakia, and in the case of Poland, and French would not stand by their promises; and, second, that if they should stand by their promises, a swift and easy victory by Germany over Poland would open the way to a prompt peace. Now that both halves of this thesis have been shattered, we shall have an opportunity to see what effect the certain prospect of a determined war on two fronts simultaneously will have on the morale of a people accustomed by six years of intensive propaganda to the thought of only a single front against a weaker adversary.

We shall have an opportunity to see to what extent old grudges and old quarrels and the bitter memories of blood purges visited on the German self may be revived under the fierce pressure of a war.

Hitler has said that this is victory or death for him. It is also victory or death for decent standards of international conduct and the democratic way of life—New York Times.

Stops The White

The production of a tire which does not "whine" has been announced by a British firm. "Whine" on straight-shed running has been cut out by a new arrangement of the studs. These are now not only regular in length, but the studs in one rim do not regularly correspond with those in the next. This stops the steady drumming on the road which produces a regular high note.

Galileo, an Italian, is accredited with invention of the astronomical telescope, which has led to modern celestial exploration possible.

Insects are the silent inhabitants of the earth and well outnumber all creatures put together.

Will Lead Assistance

Entire Facilities Of The Salvation Army Placed At Disposal Of Government

The entire facilities of the Salvation Army of the Canadian territory were placed at the disposal of the Federal government for wartime service by Commissioner George L. Carpenter, immediately upon his return to Toronto from England where he was elected head of the world forces of the Salvation Army.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King personally acknowledged the offer of General-elect Carpenter. A telegram received from Mr. King stated: "The Government truly appreciates the offer of the Salvation Army to co-operate in every way possible and your offering the services of your organization at the disposal of the Minister of Defense."

Commissioner Carpenter, who is based at headquarters at London, England, throughout the Great War, is closely familiar with war-service organizations. Although he does not officially assume his duties as General until November 1, the war situation at headquarters at London, England, throughout the Great War, is closely familiar with war-service organizations. Although he does not officially assume his duties as General until November 1, the war situation at headquarters at London, England, throughout the Great War, is closely familiar with war-service organizations.

New Russian Discovery

Was Used With Success In Flu Outbreak In York

One war spectre, another world-wide flu epidemic, apparently can be prevented by a new kind of Russian snuff.

It was described in the printed proceedings of the third international congress on microbiology, by Dr. A. Smorodintseff, of Moscow. Owing to war conditions he did not attend the congress.

Immune horse serum, a well known flu material, makes the Russian snuff, which is the water-soluble part of the blood of horses which have been artificially infected with the flu. It is dried and inhaled, Dr. Smorodintseff said.

One inhalation, lasting 15 minutes, and using about a thumbful of the powder was tried on a big acute case in Russia, during a real flu outbreak.

Snuff, not only mostly prevented flu, but helped to cure it. Snuff was given to 600 men exposed to flu. Only four of them got it.

But alongside them were 1,700 men also exposed, but with no snuff. Among these there were 149 cases of influenza.

The snuff furthermore appeared to prevent pneumonia, the complication which caused almost countless deaths in the Great War flu outbreak of 1918.

Donations To Red Cross

Royal Family Has Contributed Largely To Aid War Wounded

The King and Queen have donated £7,000 (\$28,750) to the Red Cross for aid to war wounded.

The king contributed £5,000, the Queen £2,000. Queen Mary has contributed £1,800, the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, £1,000, Duke and Duchess of Kent, £750, the Princess Royal and the Earl of Harewood, £500, and the Duke of Connaught, £500.

War Memorial

A memorial has been unveiled at Mons, Belgium, marking the spot where British and German soldiers first came into contact in the Great War. Corp. E. Thomas fired the first shot for the British Aug. 22, 1914.

Twenty thousand canned loads of salt are taken annually from one of the vast salt flats in the Sahara desert. The tract is 30 miles wide by 12 miles in length.

Vibration in the exhaust system of an automobile frequently causes a noise very similar to the humming of gears.

Annual consumption of coffee in the United States is about a billion pounds. Consumption per capita is nine pounds per year.



It's scandalous! In Africa fine women are sold for 20 shillings. HE: "Well, a fine woman is worth 20 shillings."

—Soudanese Sirr, Sweden.

Soldier's Pay Higher

Private Now Receives \$12 A Day Instead Of Former \$10

The pay of troops on active service has risen to-day than in 1914. Instead of \$10 a day paid during the Great War, soldiers of the non-permanent active militia now being called out on active service will receive \$12.30. This rate was announced by the Defence Department, Ottawa.

This is the pay of the private soldier. If he has dependents the additional amount payable to his wife (or female relative who has been responsible for the care and management of his home prior to enlistment) is \$33 a month. For each dependent child the soldier will receive an allowance of another \$12 a month.

The dependents allowance is contingent upon the soldier assigning \$20 a month of his own pay to his wife, or to the female relative who cares for his home.

A dependent son is eligible for the \$12 a month up to the age of 18, and a dependent daughter up to the age of 17. These limits do not apply, however, in the case of a child unable through physical or mental infirmity to provide for his or her own maintenance.

On that scale the family of a private soldier, with a wife and three children, would receive monthly \$61. This is made up of the \$20 which the soldier assigns from his own pay of \$12.30 a day, \$33 for his wife, and \$30 for the three dependent children.

The scale of dependents' allowances for the wife varies somewhat according to rank, but the highest rate for any rank is \$60. There is no variation according to rank in the allowance for dependent children.

Too Much Sun

Scientists Claim It Is A Cause Of Surface Cancer

Too much sun was shown as a cause of surface cancer in a study made at John Hopkins University and reported to the international congress at Atlantic City, N.J.

Paradoxically, the report said, these surface cancers apparently caused by the sun appeared to be in persons aged all other kinds of cancer. Dr. Sigismund Peller's study disclosed that the men in the army and navy who developed skin cancers seemed to be largely men in their 40s.

Bride: "You take there are two things I can make really well, fish-cakes and bridge."

Groom: "And which is this?"

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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

Boys' And Girls' Farm Clubs Are Giving New Leadership To Canadian Agriculture

Clearer At Work In World

Claim Of Western Australia Due To Geographical Position

The claim is made by the Western Australian government, administrator of that atmosphere over the Perth Observatory is clearer than that over any observatory in the world. A statement has been made by an English clergyman, the Rev. Alan Whitehead, that the climate of Perth was the finest in the world.

"Some years ago," said the government astronomer, "we were taking a series of photographs of the heavens, and with the photographic plates came instructions to expose them for ten minutes. We discovered that with this exposure we were getting far too many stars in the picture, and, after a series of experiments, it was found that an exposure of six minutes was sufficient."

The remarkably clear atmosphere over Perth is located in Western Australia's geographical position. The prevailing drift of the atmosphere was from the west, after passing over 5,000 miles of ocean, the air was entirely free from dust. Coupled with this was the fact that there is a high mountain range along the west coast. There were long stretches of ocean in the west of the African, African and South American land masses, but these continents had mountain ranges which uprooted the atmospheric conditions.—Brandon Sun.

Tire Belts

Says Western Canada Needs A Program Of Reformation

Western Canada needs a constructive program of reformation—a series of tire belts which would prevent mud drilling and help insure the return to old traditions. The ancient ceremonial dances are giving way to the antics of the modern juggling.

Yotta be able to take to get anywhere now, say the young leaders of the modern juggling.

The annual excursion dance at the Hudson Bay port saw scores of swartty Eskimos eagerly learning the latest terpsichorean products of civilization, while the oldsters glowered in the background. Very unsexily, they said. No dignity at all. The highlight of the social season North of 53, the dance was held in the railway freight cars. From all directions came all kinds of people. Cree and Chipewyan Indians, Eskimos, and Hudson's Bay men and their wives, railroad workers, mounties, and sailors from the ships waiting to take out the grain, all came.

So hot was the pace that the local orchestra was forced to work in two shifts. Between dances incidental music was furnished by the sleigh dogs outside the building.

Attending were 90 American tourists, some from as far north as Texas and Southern California.

Triumph For The Queen

Tire She Planted As Duchess Of York Grows Tall

"Splendid! What a triumph! I must tell the King."

The remark was made by Queen Elizabeth to an old Dumfries lady, when Her Majesty paid an informal visit recently to the Black Watch Memorial Home at Dundee, where she was the guest of Mrs. Peelen, of Dumfries, Dundee.

The Queen, after shaking hands with the old visitor to the home, Mrs. Peelen, of Dumfries, was told how the tree planted in Dumfries Glen by the Queen as Duchess of York had grown taller than the trees planted by the King and by Queen Mary, and the late King George.

The practice of government-sponsored public works was known in ancient times.

Grasshoppers may travel several hundred miles within a few days.

The hardest thing in the world is to recondition a worn-out welcomer.

Efficiency Claimed For New Type Of Motor Car Engine

British members of parliament are to see new types of motor car engines driven by high-compression coal gas which, it is claimed, operate as efficiently as engines driven by either oil or gasoline. Evolved at works in Ashton-under-Lyne, England, it is believed the new engine may revolutionize the fuel aspect of land transport.

The importance of the development during war, when supplies of important fuel may be precarious, is realized in government circles, where a keen interest in the new engine is being shown.

Already the United Kingdom Gas Corporation is investigating the possibility of setting up gas-filling stations in various parts of the country. These will refuel gas-driven trucks and gas-driven motor vehicles on cylinders containing compressed gas or from gas compressors on pre-ignition the same principle as that used in putting air into tires. The whole operation occupies only a few seconds.

Fish are affected by hot weather just as we are. Many mountain trout are often killed by excessive heat. River banks that have been denuded of trees and vegetation are somewhat responsible for warming up water to 75 or 80 degrees, at which temperatures the fish cannot survive.

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FOR SERVICE IN NATIONAL EMERGENCIES

VOLUNTARY REGISTRATION OF CANADIAN WOMEN

(V. R. C. W.)

QUESTIONNAIRE

To every nation there comes from time to time, periods of national distress, caused by various untoward circumstances such as earthquakes, floods, tornadoes, crop failures, forest fires, grave economic depressions, epidemics, wars, etc. That the Canadian women may be in a position to serve their nation at short notice in any of the above calamities, it has been thought well that they should band themselves together in a voluntary scheme of instruction so that, already prepared, they would be able to render intelligent and efficient service, with this in mind, and in an endeavor to find how many Canadian women would be willing and able to take British and refugee children into their homes, you are asked kindly to consider the following questionnaire and to assist by answering the same.

1. (Surname) (Given Name) Husband's Name
2. Permanent Address: (Home) (Business)
3. Telephone Number: (Home) (Business)
4. Are You a British Subject? Place of Birth
5. Married, Single or Widow? Age Group
(16-18); (18-25); (25-40); (40-50); (50-65)
6. Occupation. Religion?
7. Are You Employed? If Unemployed, How Long?
8. If Children, How many under 16 years?
9. Could you take children or adults into your home temporarily now or in an emergency?—How Many?—Free or for payment?
10. What Sex, Race or Religion would you prefer?
11. Are you willing to have your home inspected and visited for this purpose?—If so, by whom?
12. (a) Is your eye sight normal?—(1) With glasses?—(2) without glasses?—(b) Is your hearing normal?—(c) Can you be active on your feet for 6 hours daily?
13. Have you been occupied (a) in business?—(b) in organizations?—(c) in two particulars?
14. What Experience Have You Had in managing for organizations holiday or other camps, or recreation groups or public institutions?
15. What Experience or Training Have You Had in catering, buying or preparing food in large quantities?
16. What Qualifications or Technical Training Have you? For

TOWN OF REDCLIFF

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1928, the Town of Redcliff will offer for sale by public auction at the Town Office, Third Street, N. E., Redcliff, Alberta, on Wednesday, the 15th day of October, 1939, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following parcels of land:

LOT	BLOCK	PLAN	LOT	BLOCK	PLAN
9	2	1117V	28, 24	61	1117V
22, 33, 34	3	"	18	74	765 AD
34	21	"	29	58	1117V
39, 40	26	"	7	106	"
9	50	"	5, 6	133	"
19 to 22 inc. and 29 to 46 inc. in Block 1	5112 AV		27 to 31 inc. in block 3	2376 AV	
1 to 18, 23 to 28 inc. in Block 1	"		That portion of Eastern 972 feet of the South West quarter of Sec. 8, T. 18, R. 6, W. 4th M Alta., which lies to the East of the Eastern limit of 9th Avenue, as the said street and Avenue are shown on a plan of record in the Land Titles Office for the South Alberta Land Registration District as Registration 2876 AV, containing 12.25 acres more or less, as described in C. of T. 47 B 153.		
1 to 4 inc. 2	"		North-West quarter of Section 5, T. 18, R. 6, W. 4th M. con- taining 100 acres more or less as described in C. of T. 47 B 153.		
All lots 1 to 28 inc. and that part of lot 29 lying to the South of the North 77 feet there of in Block 8	"				
1 and 2	9	5112 AV			
1 and 3	10	"			
All blocks 11, 12, 13	"				
All lots 1 and 2 in 14, 15, 16	"				

Each parcel will be offered for sale, subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, and subject to a reserve bid and to the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title. Terms, cash.

Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs, at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Redcliff, Alberta, this 22nd day of August, 1939.

F. V. BRITT, Secretary-Treasurer.

ample; Air mechanic; air pilot; bookkeeper; chemist; dietitian; filling clerk; first aid worker; motor mechanic; physician; nurse; dentist; dental mechanic; dental nurse; telephone; telegraph; or radio operation, code; or technician; typist; secretary; short hand writer; translator; intelligence work; censorship; laboratory technician; surveyor; practical.

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Canada Leads

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This country can well boast of the achievements of her citizens, as the following list of some of the more outstanding achievements, compiled by The Winchester Press:

Canada built and sent the first submarine across the Atlantic.

Canada built and demonstrated the first compound steam engine in the history of the world. The effect of this invention was the doom of the sailing ship as a factor in ocean commerce.

Canada built and demonstrated the first railway sleeping car.

Canada built and demonstrated the first submarine telegraph in the history of the world.

Canada originated the idea of making paper from wood pulp.

Canada demonstrated the first practical electric railway in the history of the world.

Canada built the world's first electric stove.

Canada originated the idea of electric heating.

Canada originated the idea of Standard Time, which has since been adopted by every civilized country in the world.

Canada originated the idea of the petroleum camera.

Canada originated Marquis and other wheat varieties which have built up the commerce of the West, both in Canada and the United States.

Canada first isolated helium in commercial quantities.

The idea of the telephone originated in Canada and the first long distance trials of the instrument were made between Paris and Montreal.

Canada gave to the world the idea of the all-electric radio.

Canadians gave luncheon to the world.

Canadians have a goodly heritage, the achievements of the past have been great, and it is to be expected that the future holds even greater accomplishments in store—St. Catharines Standard.

Will Make A Difference

Plate Glass In New Car Models

Automobile editors from 100 cities were told in Toledo recently that the 1940 car models are being designed to prevent "car sickness."

One of the persons who experience discomfort from riding in the rear seat of an automobile suffers from eye strain caused by distortion in the sheet glass side windows, Dr. A. H. Ryan, Chicago psychologist, said.

"Tests show that passengers looking through safety sheet glass suffer from 50 per cent. more eye strain and nervous exhaustion," Ryan said.

"When those looking through safety plate glass, this distortion induces headaches and fatigue, and may cause permanent eye defects."

"Plate glass is automobile window with proper illumination, eye-glases and other factors aid in the preservation of eyesight. Plate glass all around in the 1940 models will be a long step forward in lessening health and comfort to motorists," he added.

Public Has Been Spoiled

Living Costs Largely Determined By Merchants' Decisions To Sell

The aim to please policy of the modern merchant has badly spoiled the buying public. It has rather been overdone. If we suddenly find some Saturday night around midnight that we require anything in the way of eggs, fish and a suit of clothes, a roast of beef, we phone the store and tell the merchant to send it up.

We don't even put in the word of a special favor asked. It is just a plain demand and one that must be met within a few minutes, so that we will not be detained if we want to go out or not be kept up if we want to go to bed.

Of course, we are not all like that, but a good many of us are, and the number is increasing every day. When one comes to study the question, is it any wonder that we find the cost of living is not what it was a few years ago?—Seaford Examiner.

In Any Language

When Joseph Haydn, genial "Papa Haydn" made ready to depart for England, his illustrious pupil, Mozart, entreated him not to attempt the journey.

"You will not fare well, Papa Haydn," the younger man explained, "because you do not know many foreign languages."

"Do not let that trouble you," replied Haydn, "for while I know little of other tongues, my art speaks all languages."

And so it proved.

The Vanishing Horse

Milkmen And Shoppers Are Gradually Motorizing Their Vehicles

Our dumb animals, that excellent advocates of kindness to the lower creation, call attention to another of the duties that is being taken from man's greatest help, the horse.

Gradually the horse is disappearing from the milk routes of the great cities. The great dairies are getting the big dairy companies in decreasing numbers.

One of New York's largest dairies still has a few stables, but it is rapidly motorizing all its vehicles. Another company's "lively white rubber-tired" buses that so pleasantly match the white rubber-tired wagons, still pursue their noiseless rounds in the early morning hours, but such days are numbered, too, and one sees more and more of the white motors instead.

Strangely enough, the rubber shoes which have caused noiselessness have been largely instrumental in taking the horse off the street.

The soft rubber that makes up most of the shoe does not afford proper support to the foot and they require renewal so often the dairies have had to abandon them as impractical.

The horses have taken a similar course to the milkmen, and horses are giving way to motors, as is the case with the greater number of the delivery vans of the main stores.

Perhaps the horse will only be found after a few more years on the race Hamilton Speedway.

Good For Business

Man Who Took Pride In His Work Was Rewarded

A man who took pride in his work is not sufficiently remunerative does come canvassing for an upholsterer in Ashington, England, while on his rounds.

He did not require workshop facilities, he does the job himself. One such case was that of an elderly woman who was comfortable chair needed the springing retapped.

"I'll repair that chair for five shillings for you," he offered.

"Well," replied the woman, "I'd agree, but my name, but I can't afford to pay more money."

"Right," said the man: "I'll do it for whatever you want to afford to give me. It will give me satisfaction to see it repaired. I can't bear to see a good chair going to wreck."

After two hours of quick work, the chair was firmly sprung and comfortable again, and the woman gratefully told him what she could afford.

—2a, 6d.

The very next day the opportunity to do a job came to him—Christian Science Monitor.

Cannot Be Localized

Armed Conflict Under Modern Method Is Far-Reaching

The New York Post says: The economic destruction of war are crippling of course, but even those calculations come from the threat of war, are far-reaching.

The British Government has arranged to remove from the market the whole of New Zealand's mutton supply, amounting to 1,000,000 carcasses.

The British are also protecting their sheep from the ravaging the purchase of 122,000,000 bushels of Argentine wheat. The entire visible supply in the Argentine is 132,000,000 bushels, and the British purchase, if consummated, would strip that country bare.

Instantly the freight rate from the Argentine to Britain has risen 10 per cent. Obviously there will be profit as well as risk in this trade, and the movements of all cargo vessels will be profoundly affected.

The war, in its integrated modern world does the "Daring Game" make itself felt in the farthest and most remote corners of the world. We can be no "localization" of armed conflict on the world scale.

Will Peace Congregation

English Year Promised Not To Be Free From War

Reverend E. B. Cook, vicar of St. Catharine's Wells, the largest parish church in Southern England, announced his congregation to refrain from commenting on the war in his sermon.

The vicar remarked: "Every-one has to think quite enough about the war all the rest of the week, and perhaps it will be a relief to some to know that in St. Catharine's at least, there will be no war talk from the pulpit."

More than 50,000,000 passengers fly over the English channel annually, following the same route taken by Louis Blériot when he made the first air crossing some 28 years ago.

A pigeon can rise almost vertically and fly at a speed of 60 miles an hour.



An interesting map of Europe, showing the principal powers concerned in the latest crisis and some of the fortifications.

Issue Plainly Stated

No Possible Question Of The Justice Of The Allied Cause

The issue in the war of 1939 has been simply and clearly stated by Lord Robert Cecil, the able and unceasing supporter of the League of Nations.

When the League was going well and afterwards when its authority was rejected, Lord Cecil stood by it nobly and hoped to maintain faith in the League.

On the eve of the German attack upon Poland, he sent the following message to the League of Nations spoken in Canada:

"Peace to be really permanent, must be based on justice. German policy, which aims at world domination by force, is the very negation of justice. It is abundantly clear that Germany's threatened aggression against Poland is part of that policy and that Danish is a mere pretext. Obviously the time has arrived to resist aggression. Further concessions like those in the past will make it make ultimate resistance more difficult. The supremacy of the law is essential to Christian civilization."

The inspiration of the allied countries will be in the fact that there is no possible question of the justice of their cause. Practically all the neutral countries agree with them in that. For such a cause there must be, in the end, a complete victory.—Winning Post Press.

Shape Of The Hand

Professor Says Cause Has Effect On Working Of The Mind

Dr. Karl Buehler, former professor of psychology at the University of Vienna, believes there is a definite relation between the shape of a man's head and the working of his mind.

Dr. Buehler, a doctor of philosophy and medicine, has lectured at several American universities, including the University of Texas. Certain mental traits have a definite relation to a person's physique, he said, and mentally diseased persons can be identified by their body structure.

Democracy Defined

The Sydney Post-Record says: Democracy is not a slogan; not a flag. It is a living reality; a brotherhood of society of human beings, a banding together of men for their common good. If we are not prepared to make that brotherhood real, if we are not prepared to put our selfishness and greed and exploitation, we are not prepared to make those sacrifices for the common good, then we are not democrats at all.

Reggie has been known to live more than 100 years.

GERMAN SHIPS IN NEUTRAL PORT AWAIT ORDERS

Experiments In Ploughing

Shallow Cultivation Brings Yields As Great As Deep Ploughing

Experiments conducted by the Field Husbandry Division, Dominion Experimental Farms, have shown that shallow ploughing produces as high yields as deep ploughing at a considerable saving in power requirements.

Furthermore, tillage beyond that required for weed, harrow and reasonably good seed bed preparation has no beneficial effect on yields.

In many districts of the Prairie Provinces, ploughing for summer-fallow has been largely displaced by the use of the "ploughless fallow" by surface cultivation.

In Eastern Canada, ploughing and land in the summer, after-harvest cultivation where weeds are troublesome, and ploughing in late fall on heavy land, have both proved superior to spring ploughing, especially on heavy soil. One advantage of summer or fall ploughing is that it facilitates the early seeding of cereal crops which experiments have clearly shown to be very desirable.

Is Well Informed

British Air Chief Marshal Knows All Air-Fighting Tactics

Air Chief Marshal Sir Hugh C. T. Dowding was in supreme command of the country's defences in the recent air manoeuvres.

He knows what fighting in the air means; has watched every new phase of air fighting tactics, which has changed considerably since then.

The best pageant of modern war put up was under his direction. Directly afterwards the King gave him the G.C.V.O.

The King said: "During my long and highly prized association with the R.A.F. no display has testified more to the efficiency and organization of the Service."

His chief hobby is skiing, at which he is an expert.

If his pet-name is "Stuffy," because of his reserved manners, when once known he is a loyal and unselfish friend.—News of the World.

Choiced By Troops

King George, carrying a gas mask and dressed in the service uniform of a field marshal, received a tremendous cheer when he visited troops of the Aldershot command. One old soldier broke from the ranks to shout, "God bless you, sir."

Brazil, though untravelling for numbers and size of its rivers, has few lakes.

Japan has a record wheat crop this year.

Canada Defence Measures

Regulations Made Effective And Division Of Responsibility

The defence of Canada regulations, one of the measures which Prime Minister Mackenzie King said the government has made effective, define the division of responsibility between the different departments of government, with the precise steps to be taken by each responsible official determined.

Proclamations, orders-in-council, warrants, telegrams and other necessary documents were prepared in advance, and among the measures now provided for in the regulations are:

Enforcement of examination service at the various ports, in respect of ships arriving from overseas.

Detection of enemy shipping. Examination of outward bound shipping to prevent export of contraband of war.

Control of all wireless stations. Enforcement of censorship on wireless and cable messages.

The regulations also deal with the arrest and detention of enemy nationals.

Not The Only One

Many People Go Places And Do Not See Anything

Charles Richards, with only eight dollars in his jeans, travelled his way two thousand miles to see the San Francisco Exposition.

Then when he got to the Exhibition, he decided he wouldn't go in because he thought it would pinch his pockets too hard. So he hitch-hiked the two thousand miles home again.

Just four thousand miles for nothing! But there are quite a lot of us like Calvin right here in our own home country, says the Huron Examiner, Seaford.

"We travel thousands of miles at unlimited expense and we don't see anything when we get there, nor on the way back."

We just go, and keep going, and always farther afield. The unfortunate part about it is, however, none of us seem to be able to make these trips as cheaply as Calvin did.

And still more unfortunately, none of us seem to try.

Sketch Is Pleased

The Duchess of Rutland made a pencil sketch of Cecil Rhodes, builder of South Africa in 1890, and now the sketch occupies a prominent place in the South Africa House, London, beside the portraits of Generals Botha and Hertzog.

In 10 years almost letters sent from Cape Town to London have increased from half a million to 100 million a year.

Sawdust As Fuel

Vancouver Is Now Using Waste By-Product Of Lumber Mills

"No, we don't want any sawdust to-day," demanded the Vancouver householder to the salesman at the door.

"But," persisted the solicitor, "now the time to buy your dust. We sell good first sawdust for three-cents per unit. It will cost you a lot more when winter comes."

Sawdust for furnace; sawdust for the kitchen range; sawdust for the water heater. That is the first lesson of Vancouver to-day, writes W. H. Colquhoun in the Stratford Beacon-Herald. A city which is built on the top of the most mile horse sawdust at a profit.

Fifteen years ago an occasional man with an extremely odd disposition advocated that the proper method of heating a house at the Coast was by burning sawdust. This wasted by-product of the great mills.

All one had to do to establish the fact that a great waste was going on day by day was to visit the mill burners, where thousands of tons of sawdust, broken pieces of lumber, and other combustible materials poured into a veritable volcano of roaring flames. If some method could be devised to capture this waste and use it as an economic saving worth while would come into being.

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CHAPTER V.

Stuck at heart with Bertha's coldness, Alan might as well have been a stone. He tried to think what had been the comment at the Heilbron Press on his sudden departure for the north coast.

"You make guess, start, oh, dear, night, you have for me?" he laughed at the big Frenchman when he and Julie had welcomed the wanderer.

"Dole polence, day, we've 'cross, you'll look him to 'Whale River'."

"What did they say when they got back?"

"Was I hear den talk wid de boss. Day say you race den to Whale you can, tell Nell Campbell about de money."

"What did Gabriel say?"

"He say, 'no, you want for dog'."

Good old Gabriel, thought Alan, he's still my friend. Then he asked: "What has Harvard been saying? I know that he's slow all the could to turn the Madame and Bertha against me. Bertha wouldn't talk to me tonight."

Pierre scowled and shook his head.

"Ah, dat see bad—ver bad. Madame Deuss she lak' Arance, yes, she lak' dat young fellow. But Ma'welle Bertha she wrel be all right. Eat see dat woman, Harbert, dat make all de trouble. She turn Port George on been head, so we wren't talk to Bertha you talk to her to-night."

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It was evident that McQueen intended to ignore the matter of the race to Whale River, was satisfied, as was most of Fort George, that Alan had met McQueen. For a space the eyes of the youth met the other's in a fixed stare.

"I'm starting in about a week," said Alan. "Are you men strong-water men?"

"Yes, they're good river men. Side and I were brought up in a canoe."

"Good thing for you. There's some of the river."

"Well, when you're ready to start, let me know," said McQueen.

"You'll be a month reaching the three forks and you'll need three months' grub, for you might miss the carbon," said Alan, hoping to learn whether the police intended to winter in the interior or to return before the ice.

"There's a bit," laughed the other, staid. "We're travelling in two canoes with flour for six months."

As Alan watched McQueen walk toward the Hudson's Bay store he said aloud: "No, you won't get John McQueen. What a mess he'd make of it and I should if you ever met him!"

Torn between pride and the desire to see Bertha, Alan sat in his cabin that evening when the afterglow had faded from the sky and the rose flush of the river surface had retreated before the purple dusk. But a few days remained now before his start.

Noel was visiting at a Montagnais tipi and Alan smoked, alone with his plans. There had been a list of things to be brought to the river through one of the Montagnais girls, a friend of Noel, to avoid suspicion. And the unknown task was to get it done in the way which they could retreat if the carbon failed. Alan sat deep in thought when the yelping pup came in, and the sound of the dog's howl from his sleep. He went to the door, listened, sniffed, then smiled.

"Hello, there! Alan Cameron! Please take care of your dog! I want to see you!"

It was the rich, throaty voice that had argued with Alan the night before at the French Company's trade-house. He had been met in a scowl but he sent Hugh to his corner and opened the door.

"Good evening! Will you come in?" he said, wondering how soon Harvard would reach Bertha with the news that Mrs. Hanbury had been at his house, and yet hoping, as this woman was a government agent, to learn more of John and Heather McQueen.

Alan lit another candle and placed a chair for his caller. She smiled easily up at him while he seated against the door.

"You're a foolish young man, Mr. Alan Cameron. Do you realize that you're a government agent?"

"Just what did you come to Fort George for?" he countered. "Are you here with McQueen on this man hunt, or is there something else?"

She laughed boisterously at his question, and totality intimated though he was with women of the world, he caught a ring of hardness, of calmness, in her voice. "To a special agent of the government at Ottawa," she went on and her voice suddenly softened with suggestion. "I'd say secrets with a vengeance."

She rose from her chair and stood in a mad race, while Hugh lay near at hand, watching their childish antics through condescending oblique eyes.

"I want to talk with you, Cameron."

"All right."

Leaving Noel with the dog, Alan found McQueen and entered his house. The policeman took the chair Alan offered and leisurely filled and lit his pipe, then asked abruptly:

"When do we start up river?"

"You—yes," she choked.

"You—what, Mrs. Special Agent?" he asked, coolly.

Suddenly recovering her poise she stood staring at him in amazement.

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Panama Canal Defence

U.S. Government Has Plans To Make It War Proof

After 25 years of operation the Panama Canal now looks more than ever as "the keystone in the defence of the Western Hemisphere" and the United States Government has plans under way to make it "war proof."

The United States needs the canal not only as a vital link in the national defence plan, enabling speedy transfer of the navy from one ocean to the other, but also for its great commercial value. Since the canal opened in August, 1914, more than 100,000 commercial vessels have passed through it.

Congress this year appropriated \$27,000,000 to increase the military and defence equipment. To meet the needs for sea-coast defence in the Canal Zone, the War Department has recommended installation of a great number of second gun batteries, submarine mine projects, anti-aircraft batteries and searchlights and an increase of the garrison by 180 officers and 6,400 men.

In addition the War Department is studying plans for construction of a third set of locks in the canal. The purpose of the new locks is two-fold: they are needed to take care of the increasing traffic in the canal, and, as a defence measure, would permit swifter passage of the navy through the canal. The estimated cost of this plan is \$27,000,000.

General Milton Craig, recently retired, chief of staff, stated the Panama Canal was the "keystone in the defence of the Western Hemisphere" in India, Africa and Central Asia, had called upon his subjects to give "unlimited service" to the cause for which Great Britain is fighting.

It was announced that the Agn Khan had sent the following message to the president of the Imperial executive council in London:

"It is the first religious act of duty of all my spiritual children in Africa to co-operate loyally and do all in their power. Heartfelt, loyal, untainted service must now be given to the cause of the Empire which is the protector of our faith and liberty. This should be ready to be offered daily and published."

The Empire Affairs section of the Information Ministry's communication department has received a letter from Sultan Ibrahim of Mauritania, and is said to have 400,000 people in the Indian Ocean.

It said the Governor of Southern Rhodesia had mobilized all units in the territorial defence force and in the territorial reserves in Salisbury, Bulawayo, Umtali and Quele for active service "within or beyond the borders of the colony."

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Turkish Leader Fearless

Pressure From Germany Did Not Break Pact With Allies

Slight, grey-haired, black-clad General Ismet Inönü, right hand man and successor to the late, great Mustafa Kemal Atatürk, is peculiarly calm among statesmen in that he is quite dead, says "Times." President Ismet Inönü, who in his soldiering days wanted to go on fighting the Greeks long after the Atatürk knew he had been whipped, is also quite fearless.

Into the dead calm of his master of the "Darkness" poured blandishments, as his stout heart were hurriedly sought to detach Turkey from its French-dictated guarantee. Now it is the French.

"To Turkey, old-time friend of the Soviet Union with which it shares the Black Sea, was of the German-Russian Pact was almost as serious a shock as it was to Germany's friend Japan. It came just as the war was drying up a French-Turkish trade pact. It also brought on what was later described as 'extraordinary pressure' from Germany. Von Papen was given an hour in which to perform his duty, but he said: 'I am President. I cannot do that.'"

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Interesting Local Items

Miss Sarah Davies and Mrs. C. Johnson were visitors in Calgary last week end.

Basil Moore Jr. returned home after a week's absence at Vancouver and other western points.

Miss Sarah Davies left on Sunday for Carleton where she has accepted a position on the hospital staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Lapp of Breckenridge district have as their guests at present, their nephew and a friend.

Sgt. Dave Morrison of the Calgary Highlanders spent Tuesday afternoon the guest of Mrs. and Miss Harris.

Mr. Wilfrid Campbell was a visitor at Bow Island on Saturday on Government business in connection with the crop testing.

Sgt. Major Ted Maskell and Private Eli Shaw are leaving today for Calgary after a week's leave here with their families.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shaw had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Mellon and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison of Tilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Taylor of Red Deer spent a few days in town last week with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Peterson.

Miss Esther Rezin left on Sunday for Calgary, where she will take a course in Home Economics at the Youth Training School being held there.

Mr. P. McDermid had as his guests for a few days last week his son Robert and nephew Peter McDermid of Ferdi, Montana. They motored here from the U.S. arriving Tuesday and returning Thursday.

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Mrs. Gaden, proprietress of the new Redcliff Barber Shop were Calgary visitors on Sunday.

Monday, October 9th. will be Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster reached another milestone in their married lives last Monday Sept. 25th, that of their Golden Wedding Day. They will celebrate the occasion later when different members of their family will be able to be with them.

GORDON MEMORIAL
10.00 A. M. Sunday School
7.30 P. M. Evening Service.
Anniversary Sunday, has been set for October 22nd.

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